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## THEY SAY



The District government.  
Let it be abolished.  
It is tyrannical and oppressive.  
The people are taxed without their authority.  
Taxation without representation is in violation of the Constitution.  
The government protects itself and opposes the people.  
It is not every man that grins in your face that is your friend.  
Enemies grin, friends smile, and snakes bite.  
You are never known until some one gets in trouble.  
Your friends want your services free.  
Some people are torn with cheek and some make it.  
Never trust a man who tells you a thing and warns you about it.  
A black gum person is deceitful.  
A man that never drinks, chews or smokes is dangerous in other respects.  
You very often hear a man boast of those qualities.  
But, O! never allow him to be too familiar with your sister.  
A psalm singer is as dangerous as a drunkard.  
Psalm singers and some few temperance advocates will do more rascality than a sinner.  
All sinners are not dangerous.  
Be what you seem to be and nothing more.  
Promises are often made when one is in trouble and broken after they are released.  
A noble man is often a poor man.  
"I told you so" are often the words of a crafty politician.  
Don't dislike one because others do.  
You must not believe all you hear.  
Always investigate all that is told you before you come to a conclusion.  
It is the cunning man that is the most deceitful.  
Never make promises unless you intend to keep them.  
Some men are wise and some are fools.  
Some men play the fool to demonstrate the ignorance of others.  
Aristotle once said he who learns is he wise or unwise.  
It is the unwise that learn because the wise already know.  
Let the present District form of government be abolished.  
Never predict the downfall of your enemies.  
The ditch you dig for others you often fall into yourself.  
Never speak ill of one if you know no ill of him.  
We abuse one because others do.  
Never believe all that is said against your neighbor.  
Never say any more than you can prove.  
It is the wise man that never talks too much.  
A still tongue makes a wise head sometimes.  
Some peoples' tongues have to be still because they can't talk.  
The effect is in the brain.  
The brain is wrong sometimes, which often effects the speech.  
Abolish the present form of government.  
Men that know it all don't have to be taught.  
No man is so wise that he cannot be taught.  
Be truthful, it will help your cause.

A bad cause will injure you.  
A liar will steal.  
A friend that will steal your pocket book will slander you.  
He will not always steal trash, but will rob you of your good name.  
A good name in man or woman is a jewel.  
A jewel is a precious article.  
So is a good name.  
Some names may weigh more than others.  
But they may not be as good.  
Some articles are small and others large.  
Small ones cost more than large ones sometimes.  
A ten carat gold ring costs more than twenty pounds of sugar.  
Although you may give the ring for that much sugar.  
Sullivan is a larger man than the minister to Russia but not as great at this time.  
"Never despise the day of small things."  
From large oaks little acorns grow.  
Truth is like water, it will find its level.  
A lie will flourish for a time.  
Be careful how you talk to your friends.  
It is the wise and honest man that keeps a still tongue.  
Did he smile, if so, at what did he smile?  
He smiled at thoughts.  
Watch him, his thoughts are evil.  
There are exceptions to this rule.  
But he showed his teeth and gums.  
Oh! my boy, he is dangerous.  
Abolish this form of government.

## WHAT THE BEE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

If Dr. Williams recommended a reduction in the salaries of Drs. Shadd and Francis.  
Has a white woman been appointed matron of the Freedman's Hospital?  
Didn't Dr. Williams say that he would not have a white physician in the hospital?  
If the editor of the Kansas City Messenger is not a braying ass?  
Is not a new Negro leadership an absolute necessity?  
If the white superintendent of the public schools will be allowed to run the colored schools.  
If the offices of the supervising principals are to be abolished.  
Why a certain young lady insists upon wearing colors so unbecoming to her complexion.  
Why a certain young man in office made it so long before he proposed to one of our popular young ladies.  
Will they reside on 4th street or will they reside on Capitol Hill?  
The use of so many pocket books and no money to put in them.  
The reason some men are always finding fault with their best friends and associating with their enemies.  
Why some old girls insist upon going with girls so much their junior.

## HELP A GOOD CAUSE.

In another column will be seen an advertisement of a worthy and deserving work that is going on in this city. Help it.  
The following named ladies and gentlemen have each subscribed and paid over to Mr. W. O. Martin, acting financial secretary of the Golden Circle the sum of one dollar.  
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"Judith Dickson,  
"Kate Gibbons,  
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"Geneva Anderson,  
"Hattie F. Bond,  
"Mrs. Minnie H. Lee,  
"Carrie Dade,  
"Georgia Hodges,  
"Arlana Smith,  
"Ida Lewis,  
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Each subscriber will be given a receipt for amount subscribed, and upon the presentation of this receipt after December 1, 1894, a ticket of admission will be given or exchanged.

## THE CREOLE SHOW.

Sam Jack's famous Creole show will make its appearance at Kean's Lyceum Theatre, commencing Monday December 17th. This show is composed of some of the finest colored actors and actresses the world has ever witnessed. Sam Jack is the only white man in this country who has demonstrated the fact that there is great talent in the negro. All lovers of the stage should not fail to witness this great performance.  
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Gen. Swain's Sentence Remitted.  
Washington, Dec. 3.—By direction of the President, Secretary Lamont has made an order remitting the unexpired portion of the sentence of Brig. Gen. Swain, Judge Advocate-General of the army, and directing him to take station in Washington city, awaiting the further orders.

Li Hung Chang Out of It.  
Yokohama, Dec. 3.—Mr. Deterling, the envoy who visited Japan for the purpose of negotiating peace, and whose mission proved a failure, the Prime Minister declining to meet him, has written a private letter to the Prime Minister denying that he was sent to Japan by Li Hung Chang.

The Sassoun Outrages.  
Athens, Dec. 3.—The Armenian committee here has presented to the Ministers of the signatory powers of the Berlin treaty a petition recounting the Sassoun outrages and imploring the powers referred to not to allow article 61 of the Berlin treaty to remain in effect.

Bismarck's Affection.  
London, Dec. 3.—A dispatch to the Standard from Berlin says that Prince Bismarck frequently visits the mausoleum at Varzin, in which the body of his wife was placed. The floor of the mausoleum is entirely covered with wreaths.

Mrs. Parkhurst's Mother Dead.  
Northampton, Mass., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Philena N. Bodman, aged seventy-seven, widow of Luther Bodman and mother of the wife of Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, of New York, died here yesterday afternoon of apoplexy.

To Abolish Oppression.  
St. Petersburg, Dec. 3.—It is reported that Gen. Gourko, Governor of Poland, and his son, Vice-Governor of Poland, have resigned, the Czar intending to abolish the oppressive government of that province.

Three Killed.  
Brussels, Dec. 3.—Three persons were killed and twenty injured yesterday by an explosion in a fireworks factory at Canille, near the Beverloo camp. The building was blown to atoms.

The Argentine Cabinet.  
Buenos Ayres, Dec. 3.—It is reported that Gen. Mitre and Senor Pellegrini are about to join the Argentine Cabinet.

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## LIFE SAVING SERVICE.

The Splendid Record Made in Behalf of Humanity.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Supt. Kimball, of the life saving service, detailing the splendid record made by his bureau in the cause of humanity, says that 220 vessels in distress were aided by the life saving service during the year. There were on board these vessels 4,054 persons, of whom 3,993 were saved and only 61 lost. The number of shipwrecked persons who received succor at the station was 658. The estimated value of the vessels and cargoes involved in the disasters was nearly \$10,000,000. Of this amount \$7,688,000 was saved. In addition to the number of persons saved from vessels there were 83 others rescued who had fallen from wharves, piers, etc., and who would have perished without the aid of the life saving crews. The number of disasters by reason of storms was greater than in any previous year since the introduction of the present system. The cost of the maintenance of the service during the year was only a little over \$1,225,000.

## POSTOFFICE ROBBERS CAUGHT.

Twenty-Five Shots Were Fired During the Capture.

Brandon, Vt., Dec. 3.—The Post-Office robbers who operated at Ticonderoga, N. Y., Wednesday night, were captured near here Thursday after a hot chase. There are four of them. The train dispatcher here received a dispatch that the robbers probably came this way. Sheriff Fletcher was notified and started in pursuit, but the robbers doubled on their tracks, came back through Brandon and hired a liverman to take them to Rochester. The officers discovered the trick, and telephoned to Rochester for a posse to meet the suspects. Sheriff Tinkham and four officers started for the latter place and met their men two miles this side, where a desperate battle took place, resulting in the wounding of two officers and two robbers and the capture of the gang. Twenty-five shots were exchanged. The robbers were searched, and \$45 and a quantity of stamps were found on three, but nothing was found on an old man, who refused to say a word.

## Union of the Churches.

Vienna, Dec. 3.—The Rome correspondent of the Politische Correspondenz writes: "The Pope has appointed a theological commission to inquire into the validity of ordinations in the Anglican Church from the view point of the Roman doctrine. His Holiness has invited Cardinal Vaughan to Rome to discuss the union of the Anglican and Roman churches. He also proposes to submit a specific scheme to a conference of Cardinals, as in the case of the Eastern churches. The Pope is still engaged on the encyclical on the English Church question."

## Czarewitch Reported Dead.

London, Nov. 30.—An Odessa dispatch to the Daily News says it is rumored there that Grand Duke George, the Czarewitch, died on Sunday last. No official confirmation of the rumor has been received. The report, however, has thrown the city into a state of gloom.

## Bicycle Factory Burned.

Toledo, O., Dec. 3.—The bicycle factory of the L. L. Manufacturing Company, said to be the second largest in the world, was completely destroyed by fire Thursday. The loss is about \$500,000, with insurance of \$350,000. The company had, it is said, 25,000 wheels under way for next year's trade.

Hearing in the Fellows' Charges.  
Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Ex-Senator Linson, the commissioner in the matter of the charges against District Attorney Fellows, of New York, has notified all the counsel that he will begin sitting to take testimony in the Court House, No. 32 Chambers street, New York, this morning at 11 o'clock.

## Fire at a Mine.

Princeton, Ill., Dec. 3.—The buildings of Shaft No. 1, at Spring Valley, were destroyed by fire Wednesday. The flames, it is thought, will reach the coal beds below. The damage sustained is \$300,000, and about forty mules and some implements.

## Successor Wellman.

New York, Dec. 3.—John M. Lewis was Friday afternoon appointed Assistant District Attorney, to take the place of Francis L. Wellman, who recently resigned. Mr. Lewis is connected with the firm of Couder Brothers.

## Attempted Suicide.

Jersey City, Dec. 3.—Henry Shooter, the proprietor of the Glendale Park road house, attempted suicide by shooting on Saturday. He may recover. Business troubles were the cause.

## A Loan of \$6,000,000.

Rio Janeiro, Nov. 29.—The Senate has authorized the Administration to call for bids for a loan of \$6,000,000 to cover a deficit caused by the expense of suppressing the recent rebellion.

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